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Dr. Alan Schriesheim  
Director, Argonne National Laboratory  
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Dear Dr. Schriesheim:

Thank you for accepting our invitation to speak at the Central Intelligence Agency's symposium on superconductivity on 17 July 1987. We have scheduled your presentation "Superconductivity and National Competitiveness" to begin at 1:45 p.m. and conclude at 2:30 p.m. We ask that you leave five to ten minutes for questions and answers. The enclosed program indicates topics and speakers.

We would be pleased if you, along with the other speakers, would be our guest for lunch that day, which we plan to begin at 12:30 p.m.

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[redacted] would be pleased to help arrange your air transportation to Washington, D.C. and will arrange to have you met and brought to CIA Headquarters building. We will pay for your travel expenses.

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[redacted] of the Office of Training and Education is the symposium coordinator. Any questions may be addressed to him on

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We are very pleased to have you on the program. Your presence and insights will greatly enhance the importance of the symposium.

Sincerely,

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Director  
of  
Training and Education

Enclosure

Dr. Alan Schriesheim

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**CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY SYMPOSIUM ON**

**CRITICAL ECONOMIC ISSUES:**

**THE CHALLENGE OF SUPERCONDUCTORS**

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9:00 A.M. to 10:30 A.M.

**Dr. A. Malozemoff, IBM**

**Superconductor Development: How Far? How Fast?**

What is our "best guess" as to the future pace of superconductor discoveries ?

**Dr. Richard Pober, MIT**

**The New Scientific and Industrial Revolution**

What industries will be affected at each stage in the development of superconductors?

10:45 A.M. to 12:15 P.M.

**Dr. Ken Klein, DOE**

**Unleashing the World's Energy Potential**

Will superconductors create windfall savings in the energy sector?

**Panel Discussion**

CIA; **Dr. Kay A. Rhyne, DARPA;** **Dr. D. Bruce Merrifield, DOC**

1:45 P.M. to 3:45 P.M.

**Dr. Alan Schriesheim**

**Superconductivity and National Competitiveness**

**Director, Argonne National Laboratory**

How will advances in superconductivity affect U.S. competitiveness vis-a-vis Japan and other countries?

**Ambassador Michael Smith, USTR**

**The Policymakers' Need For Intelligence**

What role should the US government and the Intelligence Community play in these developments?

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